GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA A B S T R A C T

Higher Education Department – Vigilance Cell - Sri S.Rajkumar, Head of Mechanical Engineering section, S.G.Government Polytechnic, Adilabad – Departmental proceedings initiated under Rule 20 of Telangana State Civil Services (Control Classification & Appeal) Rules, 1991 for violation of Telangana State Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964 – Punishment finalized - Imposition of a penalty of withholding next one increment without cumulative effect – orders issued.

HIGHER EDUCATION (VC) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 79

Dated: 07-03-2020 Read the following:-

- 1)The Commissioner of Technical Education Letter No. C1/1782/2018, dated 17.04.2018.
- 2)G.O.Rt.No.189, HE(UE&VC) Department, Dated, Dated:30.07.2018
- 3)Explanation Dt:08.09.02018 of Sri.S.Rajkumar, Head of Mechanical engineering Section, S.G.Government Polytechnic, Adilabad.
- 4)G.O.Rt.No.12, Higher Education (UV&VC) Department Dated:07.03.2019
- 5)Inquiry report dated, 16.05.2019 submitted by the Inquiry officer.
- 6)Government Memo no.2042/VC/2018 Dt:27.07.02019
- 7) Representation Dt:10.09.2019 of Sri.S.Rajkumar, Head of Mechanical Engineering Section, S.G.Government Polytechnic, Adilabad.

ORDER:

Whereas in the reference 1st read above, the Commissioner of Technical Education, Telangana, Hyderabad has requested the Government to initiate disciplinary action under Rule 20 of Telangana State Civil Services (Control Classification and Appeal) Rules, 1991 against Sri S.Rajkumar, Head of Mechanical Engineering section, S.G.Government polytechnic, Adilabad and the then Senior Lecturer in Mechanical Section, Government Polytechnic, Kotagiri, Nizamabad for exhibiting gross negligence and dereliction of duties in handing over the records pertaining to Government Polytechnic, Kotagiri to Principal, and thereby violated Telangana State Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

<u>2.</u> Whereas, Government in the reference 2nd read above issued orders for initiation of departmental proceedings against Sri S.Rajkumar, Head of Mechanical Engineering section, S.G.Government polytechnic, Adilabad in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule-20 of the Telangana State Civil Services (Control Classification & Appeal) Rules, 1991 and framed the following article of charge:

"That the said S.Rajkumar, Head of Mechanical Engineering Section, S.G.Government Polytechnic, Adilabad and the then Senior Lecturer, Government Polytechnic, Kotagiri was very negligent to his duties and due to his carelessness, certain significant records pertaining to the Government Polytechnic, Kotagiri were not handed over stating that they were eaten away by white ants."

3. Whereas in the reference 3rd read above, the Accused Officer has submitted his written statement of defense to the above Articles of charge. After examination, the Government vide reference 4th read above, appointed Smt. Shafiaz Akhtar, Principal, G.P.Yadagirigutta as Inquiry Officer under Rule 20(2) of Telangana State Civil Services (Control Classification & Appeal) Rules, 1991 to conduct regular Inquiry into the charges framed against the Accused Officer.

- 4. Whereas the Inquiry Officer in the 5th read above conducted the Inquiry and submitted Inquiry Report wherein he held the charge as **proved** against the Charged Officer.
- 5. Whereas the Government in the 6th read above communicated the copy of the Inquiry Report, dated 16.05.2019 to the Charged Officer to submit his representation on the Inquiry Report. The Charged Officer in the 7th read above submitted his representation.
- 6. Whereas Government after examination of the matter hereby decided to impose the penalty of withholding next one increment without cumulative effect on Sri S. Rajkumar, Head of Mechnical Engineering Section, S.G.Government Polytechnic, Adilabad.
- 7. Accordingly, Government hereby impose the penalty of withholding next one increment without cumulative effect on Sri S. Rajkumar, Head of Mechnical Engineering Section, S.G.Government Polytechnic, Adilabad.
- 8. The Commissioner of Technical Education, Telangana State, Hyderabad shall take necessary further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

CHITRA RAMACHANDRAN SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri S.Rajkumar, Head of Mechanical Engineering section, S.G.Government polytechnic, Adilabad **through** the Commissioner of Technical Education, Telangana Secretariat, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner of Technical Education, Telangana, Hyderabad.

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SECTION OFFICER